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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING A PRINthead OF A  
PRINTING APPARATUS

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**OF PATENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.322**

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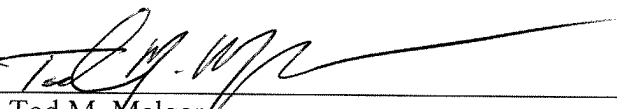
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Column 11, claim 1, line 60 "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 11, claim 1, line 65, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 12, claim 3, line 6, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 12, claim 4, line 13, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 12, claim 6, line 27, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 12, claim 6, line 31, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 12, claim 8, line 40, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.  
Column 13, claim 13, line 9, "ideal" should read --predetermined--.

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